

**EXECUTIVE ORDERS, PROCLAMATIONS OF  
GENERAL APPLICABILITY, AND STATEMENTS  
ISSUED BY THE GOVERNOR  
PURSUANT TO A.R.S. § 41-1013(B)(3)**

The Administrative Procedure Act (APA) requires the full-text publication of all Executive Orders and Proclamations of General Applicability issued by the Governor. In addition, the *Register* shall include each statement filed by the Governor in granting a commutation, pardon or reprieve, or stay or suspension of execution where a sentence of death is imposed.

**EXECUTIVE ORDER 97-5**

**ARIZONA PRESERVE INITIATIVE**

**WHEREAS**, the 43rd Arizona Legislature passed House Bill 2303 -- amendments to the Arizona Preserve Initiative -- in its first regular session; and

**WHEREAS**, under the Arizona Preserve Initiative, certain State Trust lands throughout Arizona can be nominated for reclassification as trust land suitable for conservation purposes by the Arizona State Land Commissioner; and

**WHEREAS**, throughout legislative debate in regard to the Arizona Preserve Initiative, legislators expressed a desire to be notified about State Trust lands proposed for nomination as lands under consideration for classification as suitable for conservation purposes by the Arizona State Land Commissioner;

**THEREFORE**, I, Fife Symington, Governor of the State of Arizona, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor by the Arizona Constitution and the laws of this State, do hereby order the Arizona State Land Commissioner, beginning on the effective date of the aforementioned bill, to engage in the following measures before nominating State Trust land outside of Pima and Maricopa Counties as lands under consideration for classification as suitable for conservation purposes

1. Notify the President of the Arizona Senate, the Speaker of the Arizona House of Representatives and each legislator in whose legislative district the State Trust land is located;
2. Take no further action on the nomination for sixty days following the date of the notice; and
3. Ensure that no reclassification is approved prior to the first day of April of the following calendar year. This order shall not apply to any nomination under consideration prior to the effective date of the aforementioned legislation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I  
have hereunto set my hand and  
caused to be affixed the Great  
Seal of the State of Arizona.

**FIFE SYMINGTON**  
Governor

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix  
this Thirtieth day of April in the  
Year of Our Lord One Thousand  
Nine Hundred and Ninety-seven  
and of the Independence of the  
United States of America the Two  
Hundred and Twenty-first.

ATTEST:

**JANE DEE HULL**  
Secretary of State

**EXECUTIVE ORDER 97-6**

**ARIZONA JUVENILE JUSTICE COMMISSION**

**WHEREAS**, the children of the State of Arizona are our most valuable resource and our most important responsibility; and

**WHEREAS**, the continuation of society begins with the adequate supervision of its children; and

**WHEREAS**, social and cultural conditions are increasingly jeopardizing the health, safety, and well-being of Arizona's children and families; and

**WHEREAS**, the prevention of the entry of Arizona's children into criminal behavior is a priority; and

**WHEREAS**, The Arizona Juvenile Justice Commission is created within the Governor's Division for Children.

**WHEREAS**, the Arizona Juvenile Justice Advisory Council is hereby discontinued and its corresponding responsibilities are transferred to the Commission.

**THEREFORE**, I, Fife Symington, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby define the Arizona Juvenile Justice Commission (hereinafter referred to as "the Commission") and delineate herein its responsibilities and organization.

1. The Commission is continued as established, hereinafter serving in a supervisory capacity over the duties for which it was established as set forth in the Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention Act of 1974 (hereinafter referred to as "the Act"). It shall consist of not fewer than 15 members nor more than 33 members appointed at the pleasure of the Governor. Members shall be selected as required in the Act or in any federal law subsequent to the afore-

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mentioned Act. The Commission shall meet at least once each calendar quarter.

2. The Commission shall:
  - a. Advise the Governor and Legislature of the State of Arizona on those matters relating to the improvement of the juvenile justice system and its services to youth;
  - b. Advocate for full implementation of the Act or with any subsequent federal law or Act which may set forth requirements for the funding of juvenile justice and delinquency prevention programs in the State;
  - c. Work jointly with the Governor's Division for Children to:
    - i. administer the formula grant program in accordance with appropriate State and Federal Law;
    - ii. develop and determine policy to improve the quality of juvenile justice;
    - iii. make final determination of funding recipients for federal and state funding of juvenile justice pass-through funds.

Paragraphs 3 and 4 of Executive Order 93-23 are hereby repealed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I  
have hereunto set my hand and  
caused to be affixed the Great  
Seal of the State of Arizona.

**FIFE SYMINGTON**  
**Governor**

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix  
this Twenty-sixth day of June in  
the Year of Our Lord One Thou-  
sand Nine Hundred and Ninety-  
six and of the Independence of  
the United States of America the  
Two Hundred and Twentieth.

ATTEST:

**JANE DEE HULL**  
**Secretary of State**